

REMARKS

This is intended as a full and complete response to the Office Action dated June 20, 2007, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on September 20, 2007. Applicants have attached a Petition for a Two Month Extension of Time, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136, extending the statutory period until November 20, 2007. Applicants request entry and consideration of the above noted amendments and the following remarks in response to the Office Action.

Claims 1 and 3-9, 11-18, 20-24, and 26-34 are pending in the application. Claims 1, 12, 21, 27, and 31-34 have been amended and are discussed below. Claims 6 and 7 have been amended to correct a typographical error with regard to the units for the melt flow; support can be found at least at paragraphs [0010] (about 0.1 dg/min to about 5 dg/min) and [0017] (about 0.1 to about 10 g/10 min).

Claim Rejections

35 U.S.C. § 103(a)

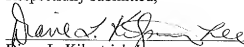
Claims 1, 3-9, 11-18, 20-24, and 26-34 have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Su et al. (U.S. 7,078,463) in view of McCullough et al. (U.S. 6,015,854).

Applicants have amended claims 1, 12, 21, 27, and 31-34 to state “consisting essentially of”. Su discloses a resin blend that comprises two different polymers. The presently claimed invention consists essentially of a polypropylene impact copolymer, a random copolymer, and an amount of clarifier, resulting in a resin, which when extruded into a sheet has specific physical properties. Su and McCullough neither alone nor in combination teach, show nor suggest the presently claimed invention. Therefore, Applicants respectfully request withdrawal of this rejection and allowance of the claims.

Having addressed all issues set out in the Office Action, Applicants respectfully submit that the claims are in condition for allowance and respectfully request the same.

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Respectfully submitted,



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